

Alexandria Gazette.

MONDAY EVENING, AUGUST 2, 1909.

Local Matters.

Sun and Tide Table.

Sun rises tomorrow at 5:01 and sets at 7:11. High water at 5:51 a. m. and 9:25 p. m.

Weather Probabilities.

For this section fair tonight and Tuesday; mild temperature; light to moderate east and northeast winds.

SECOND BAPTIST CHURCH.

The congregation of the Second Baptist Church held a meeting yesterday morning after the service to take steps toward the erection of a new and more commodious house of worship. A committee will select a site, after which plans will be drawn and the work of construction begun. At present the congregation worship in a small wooden structure at the southwest corner of Columbus and Pendleton streets. Rev. Mr. Hobbs made his annual report to the congregation yesterday morning, which showed the church to be out of debt and in a flourishing condition financially. It also showed that during the last year the congregation has doubled in number. Four delegates were elected to the Baptist convention at Haymarket August 11. The congregation unanimously voted the Rev. Mr. Hobbs, pastor, a month's vacation, and during his absence his pulpit will be filled by Rev. Dr. N. Wanger, of Washington. Rev. Mr. Hobbs will leave tomorrow for Warrenton, Va., where he will hold a series of revival meetings near that place with Rev. J. W. Brooks.

GOOD ROADS.

At a meeting of Post F, Travelers' Protective Association, held Saturday night at the rooms of the chamber of commerce a resolution was adopted endorsing the movement to build a permanent highway between this city and Washington.

The meeting was presided over by J. Y. Williams, president of the local post. R. M. Graham served as secretary.

The resolution is as follows:

"Whereas Post F, Travelers' Protective Association, fully appreciates the importance of an improved highway from Alexandria to Washington; be it resolved, That Post F, Travelers' Protective Association, indorses the movement to build a highway between Alexandria and Washington, and that the good roads committee, J. Clinton Smoot, chairman, be, and is hereby, instructed to cooperate with the Good Roads Association and others in the consummation of the project."

Announcement is made that the Chamber of Commerce will hold a meeting tonight to act on the proposition.

BROKE HIS WRIST.

Considerable excitement was caused on Pitt street, between King and Cameron, late Saturday night, by what seemed to be a difficulty between two men. Cries of murder and police awoke a number of people who had retired. One of the belligerents finally cried out, "You've broke my arm!" Later the man was taken to a vehicle and taken to the office of Dr. S. E. Moore, where he received surgical attention. Officer Roberts subsequently arrested Edward Thornhouse, one of the parties in the difficulty. It was then learned that the injured man was Frederick Pfaff, aged about 39 years. Thornhouse claimed that Pfaff's wrist was broken accidentally, and that it was the result of skylarking. Thornhouse failed to appear in the Police Court this morning and forfeited his collateral.

BAPTIST CHURCH.

The first anniversary of Rev. W. F. Watson as pastor of the First Baptist Church was appropriately observed yesterday morning. In spite of the inclement weather, a large number of members of the church were present. The pastor's annual message was inspiring and uplifting. It was shown that during the year about \$4,500 had been raised for various objects of beneficence and for the current expenses of the church. Cards were distributed among the church members setting forth the aims of the pastorate for the year 1909-1910. At the evening services Rev. Mr. Watson preached to a large congregation an able sermon on the subject "We have no Continuing City Here."

SOUTHERN RAILWAY CHANGES.

Important changes in the personnel of the passenger department of the Southern Railway were announced Saturday. H. F. Cary, assistant general passenger agent at Washington, has been promoted to general passenger agent. Mr. Cary succeeds W. H. Taylor, who is appointed general agent of passenger and freight departments, with headquarters in Denver. Mr. Cary is a native of Augusta, Ga., and is 35 years of age. He has been with the passenger department many years, starting as stenographer, and occupying various positions, including for several years the position from which he is promoted.

THE COLORED SHRINERS.

The ninth annual session of the Imperial Council of Colored Mystic Shriners of the United States will convene in Newark, N. J., August 11. It will be attended by prominent colored Free Masons. The chief officer of the Colored Shriners is Jacob F. Wright, of Richmond, who has held the office of Imperial potentate for five years. Magnus L. Robinson, of this city, who is the only 33rd degree Free Mason of the colored fraternity this side of Richmond and who is one of the five incorporators of the colored Shriners' council and past imperial recorder has received an invitation to attend the council.

FIREMAN DROWNED.

Richard Dean, colored, 25 years old, a fireman on the steamer Estelle R. Udall, fell from a canoe opposite the Norfolk and Washington steamboat wharves in Washington yesterday and was drowned. Dean was canoeing during the afternoon, and attempted to go under a wharf opposite the Randall's dock, when he lost his balance and fell headlong into the water. As he could not swim and on account of darkness he was drowned before any one could reach him.

The Corporation Court adjourned today until the September term.

The Red Cross Shoes for tender feet. The ladies who wear the Red Cross Shoes always wear a smile. Sold only by J. A. Marshall & Bro., 422 King street.

ENLARGING BUSINESS.

The announcement is made today by Capt. F. L. Slaymaker, that he has acquired by purchase the entire Alexandria rental business of M. B. Harlow & Co., Inc., the largest rent list in the city, and all rents formerly payable at the Harlow building will now be handled at 313 King street. Capt. Slaymaker received his training in the real estate business with the firm of Thomas J. Fisher & Co., Inc., of Washington, one of the largest and most reliable firms of that city, and since opening his office here, nearly two years ago, has been steadily building up his business. First purchasing a partnership in the fire insurance firms formerly Schneider & Warfield, now Schneider & Slaymaker, and taking over the management of that business, he later added casualty and liability insurance to the business, by taking the agency of the Maryland Casualty Company, of Baltimore; next the bonding business was added through the Fidelity and Deposit Company, of Maryland. At the same time he was securing for sale and rent much of the best property in and around Alexandria, and now has a special representative, Mr. George M. Reynolds living at Braddock Heights station, who assists in handling the suburban business in Braddock Heights, Del Ray, St. Elmo, Park Addition and Cottage Park.

Capt. Slaymaker has also identified himself with the development at Rosemont, making his home there, and having charge of the property for Alexandria, and now with the addition of the large property lists of M. B. Harlow & Company and the establishment of a rental department his business is soundly established. Among the sales made in the past few months are, the S. S. S. properties, 304 King street and 219 Wolfe street, to Mrs. L. M. Marders and Mr. Geo. E. Markell respectively; lots in Braddock Heights to Messrs. Thos. Violette, J. J. G. and Mrs. L. Krause; 816 Prince street to Mr. Percy Olt; house in Del Ray to Mr. Wm. Studds; and a number of lots in Rosemont, on three of which handsome dwellings are being built by Messrs. E. H. Kemper, Roger Adams and James Deane, respectively.

POLICE COURT.

[Justice H. B. Caton presiding.] The following cases were disposed of this morning:

Saris Brooks, colored, charged with larceny, was held.

Frederick Williams, colored, charged with disorderly conduct at the Opera House, was fined \$5.

Edward Thornhouse, charged with disorderly conduct, forfeited his collateral by failing to appear.

A white man, charged with disorderly conduct, was fined \$5.

Elizabeth Taylor, charged with disorderly conduct, forfeited her collateral by failing to appear.

James Brown and Edward Pickney, colored boys, charged with stealing \$2.75 from Mary Mason, colored, were fined \$2.50 each.

Samuel Matthews, charged with being drunk in the street, was fined \$2.50.

Bessie Mitchell, charged with disorderly conduct, forfeited her collateral by failing to appear.

William Jackson, colored, charged with disorderly conduct, was dismissed.

OUTING AFFAIRS.

A triangular fight took place in the southern section of the city Saturday night in which a father, his daughter and a young man participated. It seems that the young man is persona non grata to the paternal family, and the latter had ordered him out of the house. A row followed in which the father, daughter and young man participated, in the progress of which the father and young man received a number of cuts. It is not known who wielded the knife.

A fight occurred at the corner of Princess and Washington streets Saturday night between some men, during which one of the belligerents was cut. A number of people living in the vicinity went to the scene, but they were unable to identify the man who had been engaged in the difficulty. One of them had left some of his blood on the pavement.

PLANS FOR A SPOTLESS TOWN.

Mr. Milton Dana Morrill, architect, has been chosen to prepare plans for a spotless town. This model village will be constructed near a wealthy manufacturing plant at North Dighton, Mass., not far from Fall River. All buildings are to be of concrete and of the model sanitary construction somewhat on the lines of Mr. Morrill's workman's house, which received the first gold medal and endorsement at the International Congress on Prevention of Tuberculosis. The first ten buildings at North Dighton will be rushed to completion this fall.

FINED FIVE DOLLARS.

Some excitement was caused in the Opera House Saturday night by a colored individual named Frederick Williams, who persisted in smoking a cigarette after having been ordered to extinguish it. He was finally ejected and turned over to Officer Bell. A large crowd followed the officer and the darkey to the station house. Williams was brought before the Police Court this morning and fined \$5.

DEATHS.

Mrs. Nancy V. Caton, wife of Mr. John O. Caton, died at her home in West End last night. The deceased was a native of Fauquier county.

Charles Webb, colored, aged 34 years, died this morning at his home, 827 North Patrick street.

The threatening weather of yesterday kept many people from church and for this reason and the fact that many people are out of the city the congregations were not large. The services were conducted according to Saturday's announcements.

During the past month the Clerk of the Corporation Court recorded 41 deeds and issued 39 marriage licenses—31 to white and 8 to colored persons.

All low shoes at cost price for a few days only at John A. Marshall & Bro., 422 King street.

Hard Crabs Deviled Crabs Soft Crabs Crab Salad BRADDOCK (Straight Bye) \$1 QT.

at JACOB BRILL'S Foot of King Street.

Open Evenings Until 10 p. m.

NOTE—On the street a black Fan. Finder will please return it to the Gazette office and receive thanks of the owner, and \$25.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. John S. Allen, Miss Ethel Allen, Mrs. Lulu Meeker, Mrs. Annie Shirley and Mr. Christopher Warren are guests at the Linwood House, Colonial Beach.

Mrs. G. Robey, of 315 Prince street, and her little son, Master Herbert, are visiting in Fredericksburg and Falmouth.

Mr. R. M. Green and family left Saturday evening for Paxon, Loudoun county, for a two-weeks vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. San have gone to Sea Isle City, and Atlantic City to spend a few weeks.

Hon. James B. Caton of Alexandria, candidate for lieutenant governor and opposing Lt. Governor J. Taylor Elyson, was in town Friday making new acquaintances and greeting old ones.—[Harrisonburg Times.]

Mrs. J. W. Allison, of Warrenton, has as her guest Mr. Samuel E. Wade, of this city.

Mrs. Edward Cleveland Haynes and baby returned Friday to their home in Alexandria. They were accompanied by Miss Janet Whitlock.—[Charlottesville Progress.]

Mrs. Albert Bryan and her two sons have gone to Markham for the month of August.

Mrs. William Albert Smoot her little son and Miss Nellie Under will leave today for Woodberry Forrest, Orange county, for the month of August.

Mrs. Horace B. Ramey, Miss Margie Ramey and Miss Dolly Callahan will leave today for a week's visit to Bluemont.

Mrs. John M. Johnson and Miss Emily Johnson left Saturday to spend the remainder of the summer at Woodberry Forrest, Orange county, where there is quite a colony of Alexandrians.

Miss Nanette Norton is at Marham, for the remainder of the summer.

Miss Bena P. Stratton has gone to Lynchburg for a two-weeks visit.

Mrs. Thomas B. Cochran and her little son are at Willoughby Spit for the remainder of the summer.

Mr. W. B. Davis, wife and daughter, Julia; Mrs. Mason Saunders and wife, Mr. F. G. Saunders and wife and Mr. Harvey Francis left Saturday afternoon for St. George's Island, Md., for a stay of two weeks.

Mr. J. R. Caton returned on Saturday evening from a trip through southwestern Virginia and left again today to wind up his canvass for the lieutenant governorship. He says he meets with much encouragement wherever he goes.

Mrs. A. T. Peak and daughter, Elvira, have gone to Philadelphia.

Mrs. Abram H. Smythe, who was very badly hurt by a fall from a street car in Washington, is able to be out, and will leave in a few days for Van West, Ohio.

Rev. Edgar Carpenter and Mr. Maurice Simpson have returned from a week's visit to Atlantic City.

Mr. S. Blenheim has gone to Colonial Beach to spend a few weeks.

Mr. Levi Harille and Miss Annie R. Hurdle left here today to visit friends in New Jersey.

TIMES CHANGE.

During his sermon in one of the city churches last night the minister commented on the changes that are ever taking place. He said he did not wish to bring politics into his sermon, but there was one thing that confused him. He then went on to say that when he was pastor of a church in one of the cities of the state a certain man was president of the anti-liquor league there, but now this man is president of a liquor dealers association and was going through the state with a state senator advising the election of Judge Mann for governor and promising the liquor dealers that should Judge Mann be elected there would be no adverse liquor legislation during his term of office.

James A. Bagby, a well-known resident of Richmond, was found dead on the floor of his parlor early yesterday morning. He had died suddenly during the night.

LOCAL BRIEVITIES.

Mr. Frederick Mankin, son of Mr. Alexander Mankin, formerly of this city, died at his home at Lewinsville, Fairfax county, on Saturday night.

Attention is called to the advertisement of the Hibernians' excursion. The boat will leave Alexandria tomorrow at 10:30 a. m. and 2:30 and 7 p. m.

The regular monthly meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary to R. E. Lee Camp, will be held tomorrow, Tuesday evening, at 8 o'clock in Confederate Veterans' Building.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Rover's Gorman took place this afternoon from the residence on south Payne street. The services were conducted by Rev. Edgar Carpenter.

Mr. Joshua Sherwood, for many years a member of the police force of this city, sent in his resignation yesterday, and today took charge of the aims house, he having recently been elected by the City Council overseer of that institution.

A meeting of the Fairfax Horse Protective Association will be held tomorrow at the Episcopal High School at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. At this meeting officers will be elected for the coming year and other business disposed of.

Rev. W. F. Watson, pastor of the First Baptist Church of this city, with the choir of that church and other members went to Clarendon, Alexandria county, yesterday afternoon, and participated in the recognition services in the Baptist Church at that place.

A white man named Samuel Matthews was before the Police Court this morning charged with being drunk on the street. The accused said he had been sick and the medicine he had taken was too strong for him. Justice Caton told him if he had been using powerful medicine he should have remained at home, and fined him \$2.50.

"People do always giving advice nether can find any for themselves; dot's why dey're always loxin' so shabby and down au' out. You could be a little doubtful about eatin' der meat your butcher stiffs away, wouldn't you? Dere is only van thing in all this world dots made to giff away and dot's chocolate candy for your best girl." So speaketh Mr. Elliott, and that's why he comes to the Anti Stunt. Because he can get two dollars' worth of satisfaction for every doll'r's worth he buys. And so can you. Sycan Blondheir, the Anti Stunt, City Market.

Oysters in all styles. Fried Clams every day 20c per dozen. Clam soup, Monday Wednesday and Friday. Fresh Porter on draft. C. H. Zimmerman, Market Place.

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Window Screens and Screen Doors at cost.

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Select Variety.

DIS-SOLUTION OF COPARTNERSHIP—The firm of GRIGG & HOWELL, doing electrical business at 307 King street, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. C. J. Howell, retiring. The business will hereafter be conducted by J. F. Grigg, who will assume all debts. J. F. GRIGG, C. J. HOWELL, Aug 2 31

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Children's Fine Nainsook Bishop Dresses, neck and sleeves finished with embroidery, long and short, 1, 2 and 3 years, 25c 50c and 75c.

Girls' Dresses, gingham, chambray and linonette, sizes 4 to 14 years, 50c, 75c and \$1.00

Mennen's Talcum Powder 12 1-2c. Packer's Tar Soap, 17 1-2c. Cuticura Soap 17 1-2c

\$1 Suit Cases 75c

Wash Suits for Women reduced to half. Pay Half for all our Trimmed Hats.

Parasols cut to half. Take any parasol in the house, look what it is marked and pay just half.

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\$1.50 Manhattan Shirts now \$1.15

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\$2.00 Manhattan Shirts now \$1.38

\$1.50 White Lawn Waists with Dutch Collar Tuesday, each 98c

Nine pieces 12 1/2 White Curtain Swiss 36 inches wide Tuesday, yard 10c

Regular \$1.00 Table Linen two yards wide slightly soiled, Tuesday, yard 69c

Regular \$3.60 LaGrecque Corsets, to be closed out Tuesday, pair \$1.98

50c All Over Lace for Yokes and Waists Tuesday, yard 32c

50 and 75c Embroidery Banding for Waists Fronts 18 inches wide Tuesday, yard 39c

35c Dress Linens, Plain Colors and All Linen Tuesday, yard 25c

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We can show you as broad and complete a stock of Watches as you can wish to select from. All good and dependable makes; choose plain or an elaborate case. We have all kinds, from nickel to solid gold.

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